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Consultant Services

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17 February 1948

MEMORANDUM TO: The General Counsel

SUBJECT: Consultant Per Diem Allowance Under
National Security Act.

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1. Contact Branch, Office of Operations, has under consideration for employment as a per diem expert consultant, [REDACTED] who is at present primarily engaged in his own private practice in the city of New York. In addition to his practice, he has been serving as Expert Consultant in Internal Medicine to the [REDACTED] at the pay rate of \$50.00 per day when actually employed (WAE). During the war years [REDACTED] was assigned to the Committee on Medical Research of the Office of Scientific Research and Development.

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2. As you are aware, the maximum per diem allowed for consultants serving this organization is \$35.00 per day, as authorized by the National Security Act of 1947. This matter is called to your attention as an example of the inequity of payment of consultants by CIA and by other Government agencies. It is not to be construed as a request for a higher per diem allowance for [REDACTED] personally.

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Assistant Director for Operations

*No action
contemplated.*

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